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C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 15603

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, IN, BG, SREF

SUBJECT: GOI STATES SOME REFUGEE MIGRATION FROM BANGLADESH NOW
TAKING PLACE

1. DURING A BRIEF CONVERSATION WITH THE DCM ON
NOVEMBER 24, MEA JOINT SECRETARY FOR THE AMERICAS
REVISED HIS PREVIOUS INFORMATION TO SAY THAT THERE
NOW HAD BEEN LIMITED MIGRATION OF HINDU REFUGEES INTO INDIA.
HE SAID THAT INDIVIDUALS AND SMALL GROUPS HAD BEEN
CROSSING THE BORDER BUT THE MOVEMENT "HAD NOT YET REACHED
THE PROPORTIONS OF AN EXODUS." HE EXPLAINED THAT
THERE EXISTED CONSIDERABLE INSECURITY AND ANXIETY AMONG
HINDUS AND THAT THERE HAD BEEN CASES OF HARASSMENT,
ALTHOUGH THESE COULD HAVE BEEN "INDIVIDUAL" OCCURRENCES.

2. COMMENT: WE TAKE THIS AS A FIRST NOTICE FROM
THE GOI OF INITIAL EVIDENCE OF THE PROBLEM WHICH COULD
CAUSE IT TO ALTER ITS PRESENT NONINTERVENTIONIST
POSTURE TOWARD BANGLADESH.

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